

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kazuyo Abe, Kenci Man

Application No.: 10/784,483

Group No.: 1794

Filed: 02/20/2004

Examiner: Hamid Badr

For: A Method for Manufacturing Proteoses Derived From Animal Protein and Manufacturing Food
Containing the Proteoses**Mail Stop Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| | (Col. 1) | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | | | |
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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDIT. FEE | | |
| TOTAL | 7 | — | 20 | = 0 | x \$ 50.00 | = \$ | 0.00 |
| INDEP. | 1 | — | 3 | = 0 | x \$ 210.00 | = \$ | 0.00 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | + | \$ 0.00 | = \$ | 0.00 |
| | | | | TOTAL | | | |
| | | | | ADDIT. FEE | | \$ | 0.00 |

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-4972.

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Response A

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Response in reply to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2008 and ask that the following amendments be entered.

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